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MURDERER PALMA CAPTURED

Mexican Who Shot a Resident of Thatcher Arrested in California

Bakersfield, Cal., June 4.—Martin Palma, alias Gabriel Bustillos, a Mexican wanted at Solomonville, Arizona, on a murder charge, was arrested in this city last night and will be held until the arrival of a deputy sheriff from Arizona.

Palma is the man who murdered Margarette Montenegro north of Thatcher a year ago last winter, and made his escape, although every effort was made by officer W R. Bingham and W. T. Johnson to effect his capture at that time.

The night the murder was committed a dance was being held at the home of Martines Palma, an old man who still lives in Thatcher. During the dance Montenegro and a niece of Palma the elder, took a walk and went to another house. They were followed by Palma and two other Mexicans. After remaining a short time all returned to the dance. On the way back Montenegro and the girl were in front and the three Mexicans in the rear and when about half way to the house Palma placed a six shooter to Montenegro's back and fired, the latter falling to the ground. Palma fired a shot into the prostrate man's neck and another into his head. He made good his escape at that time, although the officers have been on the lookout for him.

Sheriff Anderson received a telegram Tuesday announcing Palma's capture and left for Bakersfield Wednesday morning.

INTERESTING CONFERENCE HELD

Many Flourishing Reports Saturday and Sonday at Thatcher

The regular quarterly conference of the St. Joseph stake was held at Thatcher meeting house last Saturday and Sunday, President Andrew Kimball presiding.

On Saturday, the sessions were devoted largely to reports. Nearly every bishop in the stake present and gave an interesting discourse in the afternoon.

Sunday morning the principal speakers were President W. D. Johnson and Elder Thomas Kimball, who gave an extended account of the April conference in Salt Lake City and their visit to Utah.

In the afternoon Presidents Andrew Kimball and Charles M. Layton spoke at length on doctrinal subjects.

NOTES OF THE CITY

John F. Weber went to El Paso Sunday to meet his daughters, Misses Margaret and Mabel, who came from Washington to reside in Safford. The party arrived here Wednesday.

Musgrave & Kennedy shipped a carload of horses to Ft. Worth this week.

C. Madsen has resigned as street supervisor, and it is probable that Wm. Robertson will be appointed.

Mrs. Wm. Waddill, who has been very ill, is much better.

Dr. Warner is steadily improving in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Simon will move into their new home tomorrow.

Miss Mabel Smith of Lone Star is the guest of Mrs. Matthew O'Bryan.

Miss May Dowdle and her grandmother, Mrs. Dowdle, arrived here Wednesday from Hot Springs, Ark.

The Literary Club will meet at the residence of Mr. Waddill, Friday.

The Odd Fellows and their friends held a pleasant social party Saturday evening, at which time it was decided to organize a Rebecca lodge.

Prof. Rhoades and wife and Miss Welborn left for Kentucky, Monday, to visit relatives.

There is a movement on foot to organize a company to pipe water to Safford. Mr. P. J. Jacobson and others offer to take large blocks of stock.

Teachers' EXamination

The old court room at Solomonville presented an animated appearance last Monday and Tuesday, while Supt. Lynch was conducting the quarterly teacher's examination. There were seventeen applicants, sixteen ladies and one gentleman, as follows:

Mrs. Maud P. Callison, James A. Duke, Gladys Duke, Emma Winsor, Elles Curtis, Elsie Curtis, Zina Curtis, Etta Snedecor, Lula Valentine, Mae Hoopes, Hannah Allen, Blanche Bilby, Bertie Means, Ciphriana Norton, Belle Layton, Sophie E. Shirley.

BAD MEN LANDED IN JAIL

Thrilling Chase Made by Officer Lee Wright Near Duncan--Another Case

Deputy Sheriffs Lee Wright and Sherman Stewart came down from Duncan last Tuesday, having in custody W. T. Nugent, charged with stealing a harness from W. L. Cauthen, and a saddle from Lenn Moore at Duncan. He stole the saddle a month ago and the harness two weeks ago. He went from Duncan to Deming two weeks ago and came back a week ago Sunday and got both the saddle and harness at night. Lee Wright was in Silver City watching for him, where he came a week ago Tuesday with the saddle and harness on the same horse and Wright arrested him They started back and got to Deming where Nugent got away. Wright went into Duncan with the saddle and harness and returned on Thursday and went to Jim Upton's ranch sixteen miles from Deming and found his man. When within 200 yards of the house he saw Nugent run and tracked him to an old well. He went down the well, which was 60 feet deep, with 30 feet of water. Nugent had gotten behind some rotten timber just above the water. Wright went down the well, discovered his man and brought him up, but lost his watch in the water. He took Nugent to Duncan and put him in jail where he kept him two nights. On the second night, Monday, after the preliminary hearing, Wright, who had stood guard both nights, discovered fire in the jail about twelve o'clock. Investigation revealed that Nugent had set the jail on fire. When Wright discovered the fire it was just breaking through the side of the jail. The officer got help and opened the jail, handcuffed the prisoner to himself and others, put the fire out, which had burned through the floor and side of the jail. The jail is small and got so full of smoke and heat that the prisoner almost suffocated.

Nugent was bound over to the grand jury in $500 bonds but brought to Solomonville last Tuesday and is now behind the bars.

A year ago Nugent bought some horses in southern Arizona and drove them to Duncan. He issued several worthless checks there to pay his expenses, and when the checks were refused by the bank, complaint was filed against him Sheriff Jim Parks arrested him and Nugent claimed he believed he had money in the bank. "Utah Bill" furnished money to pay the checks and Nugent was thereupon released. The prisoner seems to be a bad man generally. He will be held at Solomonville until the sitting of court in October, unless he finds bondsmen, which is not likely.

A young man by the name of R. C. Lykins, was brought to Solomonville from Morenci Tuesday and placed in jail by Ranger Thompson. Lykins is charged with stealing two guns and some other articles from the Detroit Copper Company's store at Morenci.

Some Big Contracts

Billy Tuttle was in Safford, Tuesday from Rice. Mr. Tuttle has been awarded the beef and grain contracts by the government for Fort Apache and Rice. He also has a contract to furnish 400,000 pounds of hay to Apache.

The road from Rice to Apache is now in better condition than ever before, which means that it is a splendid carriage road all the way. New bridges have recently been built spanning both Black and White rivers.

Furnished Rooms in Los Angeles

Nice location, walking distance, 1048 South Olive street. $2 per week and up. Will meet you at the trains. Quiet and pleasant. Miss Lena Johnson proprietress. A nice and convenient place for Gila Valley people to stop. 15-tf

A BUSINESS LUXURY

A CHECKING-ACCOUNT is a business necessity; and he who tries to get along without one is at great disadvantage.

It is not required that a person should have a large bulk of business in order to open an account.

Professional men farmers, and even many women, are running checking-accounts. If you have never done business in this way, and are not familiar with the plan, come to us and we will get you started.

GRAHAM COUNTY STATE BANK,
Thatcher, Arizona.

DR. W E PLATT, President WM. A. MOODY, Vice President
J. D. LEE, Cashier MYRON ALLRED, Ass't Cashier

TRAGEDY FOLLOWS ELOPEMENT

John Ferguson, Who Took His Brother's Wife Away From Layton, Kills Himself

It will be remembered by readers of the GUARDIAN that John Ferguson and Mrs. Ben Ferguson of Layton disappeared very mysteriously about a month ago, as detailed in these columns at that time. It was believed that the couple had gone away together, but nothing was heard of them until a tragedy uncovered their whereabouts last Monday

It appears that the couple went from here to Mesa City, near Phoenix, where they have been living as Mr. and Mrs. John Wright. They both obtained employment on a farm near there, and a few days ago Mrs. Ferguson fell into an uncovered well and sustained a serious fracture of the skull. She did not notice the well and walked into it. She has since been lying very ill, and it was feared she would not recover. This accident seemed to unnerve John Ferguson, and he has acted in a strange manner since it occurred. On Monday he committed suicide, the circumstances being given by the Phoenix Republican of Tuesday as follows:

"John Ferguson, alias John Wright, husband of Mrs. Eva Wright who lies at the Mesa hotel suffering from a broken skull caused by falling into a well at Chandler's ranch two weeks ago, lies today in the undertaking parlors of Hodnett & Carr, a corpse, death being caused by narcotic poisoning taken with suicidal intent.

"Yesterday about twelve o'clock word was sent to Drs. Palmer and Drane that a man at the Mesa hotel had taken poison. They hurried to the scene and found John Ferguson, or John Wright as he was known to the people here, lying upon the floor in his room, which joined that of his wife, in an unconscious state.

"On the table nearby were several bottles, a .38 Smith & Wessen revolver and a pasteboard box the revolver. Upon examination of the box it was found that the man had written a note explaining his action.

"The note which was scrawled in a trembling hand on the cover and bottom and even upon the inside with a lead pencil, read:

"'MRS. OPENSHAW—I have stood all I can. Ask the Lord to forgive me for what I am doing. I know that my dear wife will not live from what I saw last night. Please pray for me. Give her the money I left. I would write more but now I have to go.

"'O, Mr. Lewis was so very kind to me. JOHN W—

"'May the Lord forgive me for doing this. Mrs Openshaw, please kiss my dear wife for me. I am gone, gone, gone, gone—'

"The doctors worked for five hours with the man, using all means that medical science affords to resuscitate him but without avail. His pulse gradually grew weaker and soon after five o'clock ceased to beat.

"The body was at once taken to the undertaking parlors, lest the man's wife in the next room should suspect his death, and an inquest was held.

"Before the jury the doctors stated that they were called about noon and upon entering the man's room found him upon the floor unconscious. They injected stimulants and did what they could to revive him, Upon the table they found the revolver and cartridges, the box with the note, a bottle half full of wine and an unmarked envelope containing morphine tablets.

"Mrs. Arthur Openshaw, for whom Mrs. Wright was working at the ranch when she was hurt, then took the stand. She reported that Mr. Ferguson, or Wright, had been crying all morning and saying that he knew his wife could not recover. He complained of being tired and was told to go to his room for a rest. In a few minutes Mrs. Openshaw heard something fall to the floor and rushing to the room found the man lying upon the floor.

"The jury decided that the deceased met his death by narcotic poisoning administered by his own hand.

"The young couple have been a study to the people on Chandler's ranch and the few Mesa people who knew them ever since their arrival in the valley, which was only a few weeks ago. They never referred to their past life and had but little to say, aside from business affairs, to their acquaintances.

"When Mrs. Wright was injured the doctors wanted to notify her relatives, knowing that the woman was in a very serious condition but the husband refused to tell where they were located and since Mrs Wright has been able to speak she refuses to speak of relatives or friends away from here."

When Mrs. Ferguson was informed that her supposed husband was dead, she broke down and told all. She admitted he was not her husband, and that her true husband, Ben Ferguson, was living in Thatcher. She consented that a telegram be sent to him.

Ben Ferguson, the husband, has been living with his brother in Thatcher, since the elopement, and received a telegram Tuesday morning, giving an account of his brother's death. He left at once for Mesa.

John Ferguson, the deceased, was 23 years old. He lived in Layton for some time, where he seemed to be a reliable young man.

Mrs. Ferguson's parents live in Keaton, Kentucky. It is feared she will not recover.

Prof. A. C. Peternon writes from Chicago that himself and wife are duly installed in that city and anxious to receive the GUARDIAN, which will be forwarded.

GRAND PROSPECTS AT SAN JUAN

It is Now Believed that this Will Soon Become one of the Great Producers of Arizona

Recently the Gila Valley Copper Company have shipped a large amount of concentrates to Globe, taken from their mines and reduced to concentrates in their concentrator. The principal part of the ore was taken from the San Juan mine, although they have other properties that appear to be equally as good.

In the drift from the present working shaft they have gone through the body of ore struck some time ago. This proved to be 28 feet wide and a good quality This is the largest body of ore yet explored, and this was encountered only at a depth of 230 feet. This ore body can be followed either up or down and keep the mill running almost indefinately as the ore starts from the surface. It is understood, however, that the policy of the company is to take out only enough ore to keep the concentrator running, devoting most of their work to developing the ore bodies, which of course means sinking.

Having found a well defined ore body, the company will proceed to sink the shaft, timbering as they go, cutting out stations at the proper levels and stoping back on the ore from these. It will not be long until they have in operation a powerful hoist, with modern cages. This is inevitable, as the ore that they are now sure of encountering warrants the installation of such machinery. Within a very few months the old San Juan camp will be a hummer.

An Arizonan in Washington

The Washington Herald of May 26th has this to say:

In the territory of Arizona there is no man of better social or financial standing than Mr. J. N. Porter president of the First National Bank of Globe, Ariz., who is at the New Willard, accompanied by his wife and their beautiful young daughters, Misses Stella and Leah. Mr. Porter is native Texan and still has large interests in that state. Some twenty years ago he went to Arizona, in the development of which he has taken a leading part.

Yesterday Mr. Porter had a very pleasant interview with President Roosevelt, in the course of which he told the chief executive that he was proud to meet him for the double reason that he had never before seen a president of the United States, and because he loved to shake hands with a "man that had done things." At this Col. Roosevelt smiled in his usual intensive fashion and paid back the Arizonan's complement in clever style.

Church Social

A pleasant social was given at the Baptist church last Friday night in honor of Mr and Mrs. W R. Rhoads, who have been energetic church workers, and who departed for their old home in Kentucky last Monday, where they will spend the summer. On this occasion the splendid new chapel organ was used for the first time.

The program consisted of music, singing, recitations and short speeches. An abundance of excellent refreshments were provided by the ladies.

The church was crowded and a splendid time is reported by all who attended. The church will give a number of like socials during the summer.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

Program for the Day Outlined by Committee--Cash List is Growing

The Committee of Arrangements held a meeting last Thursday evening and agreed on a program for the days celebration, as follows:

LITERARY EXERCISES

1—Opening prayer, Rev. Wardlaw.
2—Song, "My Country 'Tis of Thee," by chorus.
3—Address, "Independence Day," Hon. Wiley E. Jones.
4—Song, "Star Spangled Banner."
5—Address, "Our Resources," President Kimball.
6—Song.
7—Recitation
8—Song by chorus.
9—Benediction, Rev. Hawley.

The literary exercises take place at Layton. The parade will start from the postoffice in Safford and March to Layton. On conclusion of exercises, the parade will reform and march back to school house at Safford and be dismissed.

Prizes will be awarded for games, the winners in stock classes, the best product shown by the farmers at the two valley creameries. In the afternoon there will be a barbecue. A game of base ball etween Thatcher and Solomonville is being arranged and a match rifle shooting for gentlemen and ladies is projected.

SUBSCRIPTION LIST

Amount previously acknowledged.	$278 50
Bank of Safford.....	15 00
Prina & Olney.....	25 00
Dr J. G. Belt	1 00
John Besner.....	2 00
Total subscribed to date.....	$321 50

Wedding Bells

On Tuesday next, June 11, at the home of the bride's parents, will occur the ceremony uniting in marriage Jacob Wieuberger of Globe and Miss Blanche Solomon of Solomonville. A prominent Jewish rabbi of Los Angeles comes hither to perform the ceremony.

Mr. Weinberger is a prominent and promising attorney of Globe, and has already acquired influence and esteem in legal circles there. He is a young gentleman of many good qualities.

The bride is one of the most popular belles of the valley, and her departure for Globe will be regretted by her friends and associates. She is a beautiful and accomplished young lady, and a general favorite in social circles.

The couple have a wide circle of friends who will join with THE GUARDIAN in wishing them every happiness and prosperity in their wedded life.

The couple will be at home to their friends in Globe after June 27th.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

M. P. Snow is able to be around.

MRS. H. D. Empey has gone to Carthage, N. Y., on a visit.

MRS. Kitchen has gone to Rice to visit with friends.

Pinkeye has appeared among the horses of the valley.

Fifty-six Safford residents went to Globe Friday, where they enjoyed MRS. Fiske's presentation of "The new York Idea."

The territorial board of equalization is in session at Phoenix, considering railway and mining taxation.

Supt. Mallard of the Valley road was here this week and purchased the Eccles farm near Thatcher, where the railroad will drive a well.

H O'Neil writes to the GUARDIAN from Pescador, Mexico, that he has been having some lively experiences there, from floods. He is well and prosperous and remembers Safford and the people here with kindly interest.

The engine at the Mt. Graham Lumber company's mill broke down Wednesday and is now being repaired. New equipment will shortly be installed at this mill, and a large force of men are on the ground ready to build the proposed new flume as soon as the lumber can be sawn.

W. J. Winsor brought a fine large head of cabbage to the GUARDIAN office last Tuesday, grown from the seed planted this spring. Mr. Winsor is a cabbage raiser on scientific principles. From the same stalk this head was cut he will get three crops this year, and the last crop each stalk will produce two heads. Next year these same stalks will raise five crops. Mr Winsor says cabbage needs to be planted in this country only once in four or five years.

Card of Thanks

We the children of the late C. R. Westerman wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends of Safford who so kindly aided and sympathized with us in our recent great bereavement.

L. H. AND C. GUY WESTERMAN AND SISTERS.

Excursion Rates.

Account Independence Day, the Gila Valley will sell tickets at one and one-third fare for the round trip, good going July 3rd and 4th, returning until July 6th.

UP TO DATE PEOPLE

Bank their money and pay their bills by check. This plan gives them—

1. Security for their money;
2. A receipt for every account paid;
3. Protection from errors in making change;
4. Good standing with the bank;
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Open an account with us and we will furnish pass books and checks.

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SAFFORD, ARIZONA
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J. N. PORTER, Prest. J. N. ROBINSON, Vice-Prest. H E DUNLAP, Cashier

LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Chas. Watson, of Central, left on Monday to take up missionrry work in the southern states.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McAlister, of Solomonville, were visitors in Safford last Friday.

Ice cold milk shake and milk punch at Tom Hooks' saloon. 11 tf

Miss Rebecca Schwarz left for El Paso Monday, after a pleasant visit with friends here.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. George Coleman of Artesia, is very ill.

Keg beer at the Palace saloon. 7-tf

With deep regret we announce that Miss Kate Fonda is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

The well being driven by Mr. Williams six miles south of Safford is now in 630 feet and four-inch casing is being inserted.

The GUARDIAN will make a special rate on visiting cards during the next few days. Ladies should send in their orders at once.

Mrs J. C. Robinson and daughter Miss Zona Robertson, returned Wednesday from a pleasant visit with relatives in Globe.

James Francis and Jesse Foster have been enrolled as firemen. Chief Krueger is desirous of enlisting the service of several other citizens.

Mr. T. C. Schaefer was appointed manager of the Valley Milling Co. mill, and W. E. Glasscock has been appointed bookkeeper for the establishment

FOR SALE—Palm trees, 2-year-old, 35 cents each. Will deliver to any point in the valley. Apply to Alfred Cluff, Bryce, Arizona. 3-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Watson were in town Monday from their home in Central. They have just returned from Clifton, where Mr. Watson has been employed for the past year.

Good dressmaking at Mrs. W. C. Robinson and Mrs. R. T. Cluff's at the Giles' house, Layton. 14-1m

Mrs. Kitchen returned from Rice last week accompanied by the little son of W. O. Tuttle of that place, who came to make a few purchases, returning to Rice the same evening

A trip to the Indian Hot Springs and a plunge in the lake is as good to a tired business man as a month's rest. 12-4t

Mr. J. M. Foster states that he is shipping hay to Cananea instead of to Socorro, as stated last issue. In the Cananea district there is a vast market for provender, due to mining activity.

C. F. Solomon left for Phoenix Saturday to meet with the territorial board of equalization, of which he is a member. The board met on Monday for the purpose of fixing the valuations on the railroads. Mr. Solomon while in Phoenix intended taking the 32nd degree in the Masonic lodge.

The Cluff family will hold their annual reunion at Central on June 20th. A fine program has been arranged and it is earnestly hoped that all the members of the family will be in attendance that the memory of Grandfather Cluff may be perpetuated through his grand children and great grand-children. Old friends of the family are cordially invited to participate in the enjoyments of the day.

Geo. A. Olney returned from Clifton last Sunday.

Buck Brooking arrived in Safford last Tuesday from the ranch.

Ice cold keg beer on tap at Tom Hooks' saloon. 11-tf

Baylor Shannon started for Alaska last Saturday. He expects to be gone two months.

Morris Simon of the El Paso Store, was called to Ft. Thomas last Tuesday on business, and returned the next morning.

E. T. Hyde, of the GUARDIAN, went to Clifton last Friday and remained several days on business for this paper.

Chas. H. Laidlow, of Fairview, N. M., was in Safford several days last week. He is an old friend of Morris Simon, of the El Paso store.

I am now prepared to do carriage painting. Also, for sale, a good buggy. W. C. FAULKNER. 13 2t

O. N. Williams brought the GUARDIAN force last Tuesday some of the finest blackberries we have ever seen. They were raised on his farm in the Artesian belt.

Chief operator Miss Henderson came over from Tucson last week to install Miss Weatherston of Phoenix in the office at Solomonville, Miss Jean Johnston having resigned to accept a position in Los Angeles. Miss Johnston left for the coast Sunday.

J. M. Foster advertises this week that from this time on he will pay spot cash for hay as fast as it is loaded. No time will be asked, but every pound will be paid for as fast as delivered. Mr. Foster expects to buy immense quantities of hay this year.

WANTED—20 teams to haul lumber from the Gibson saw mill to Safford. Will pay $7 per thousand, or will contract entire output. Apply at GUARDIAN office. 14-3t

Marshal Robertson informs us that he has a four-year old red cow, branded ND on left side in Safford stray pound which is advertised for sale to-morrow afternoon. The owner may redeem it before the hour of sale.

Mr. Halterman brought a bunch of alfalfa to the GUARDIAN office this week that measured exactly six feet, three inches, grown from one root on his farm. This is the greatest growth of alfalfa we have ever seen and probably beats the record.

For fresh lime call on D. R Kemp, Thatcher, Ariz 13-3t

Judge Moorman is putting in a new floor and ceiling in the adobe house across the street north from the depot, and will probably partition the building off into rooms, remodeling it into a dewelling house, fencing the lot and otherwise improving it. When the improvement's are completed it will make a desirable residence.

Capt. Thos. McEniry arrived in the valley last week from El Paso and went direct to his famous Mammoth Tunnel. It is presumed that he came for the purpose of seeing whether any of his dupes have changed their minds regarding his little scheme since it was exposed in the GUARDIAN. Mack is a good talker but we would advise people to be careful how they endorse such schemes as the Mammoth Tunnel and Spenezuma or they will find themselves in serious difficulty before they get through.

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Solomonville, Arizona.

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The following scale of prices has been adopted by the GUARDIAN on legal advertising:

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Notice to creditors and similar notices from the Probate Court, per notice..... 7 50
Land Proofs..... 10 00
Notice of Forfeiture..... 15 00
Contest Notice..... 15 00
All other legal advertising, per inch, each insertion..... 1.00

THE HIGHEST CREED

W. D. Boyce, a well known Chicago Publisher' sums up a good sermon in the creed which he promulgates as follows:

Do not keep the alabaster boxes of your love and tenderness sealed up untill your friends are dead. Fill their lives with sweetness. Speak approving, cheering words while their ears can hear them, and while their hearts can be thrilled and made happier by them; the kind things you mean to say when they are gone, say before they go. The flowers you mean to send for their coffins, send to brighten and sweeten their homes before they leave them.

"If my friends have alabaster boxes laid away, full of fragrant perfumes of sympathy and affection, which they intended to break over my dead body, I would rather they would bring them out in my weary and troubled hours, and open them, that I may be refreshed and cheered by them while I need them. I would rather have a plain coffin without a flower, a funeral without an eulogy, than a life without the sweetness of love and sympathy.

"Let us learn to anoint our friends beforehand for their burial. Post-mortem kindness does not cheer the troubled spirit. Flowers on the coffin cast no fragrance backward over life's weary way."

FAKE MINING PROJECT

Concerning the Mammoth Tunnel Site Co., the doings of which were exposed by the GUARDIAN a couple of weeks ago the Morenci Leader says:

Another fake mining scheme has been floated in the Gila Valley near Pima in the Graham mountains, the prospectus of which contains the most elastic and remarkable statement ever written concerning Graham county.

A law was introduced and passed the upper house of the legislature providing for the punishment of such promoters as the one back of this project by imprisonment or fine or both, but in some manner the lower house disposed of the bill so the faker goes free for a time longer.

There is nothing so detrimental to local, legitimate mining enterprise than to have a scheme like this floated abroad and such men should be tarred and feathered and given the rail route out of the country.

MY BEST FRIEND

Alexander Benton, who lives on Rural Route 1, Fort Edward, N. Y., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is my best earthly friend. It cured me of asthma six years ago. It has also performed a wonderful cure of incipient consumption for my son's wife. The first bottle ended the terrible cough, and this accomplished, the other symptoms left one by one, until she was perfectly well. Dr King's New Discovery's power over coughs and colds is simply marvelous." No other remedy has ever equaled it. Fully guaranteed by all Druggists. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

The New Railroad

At a conference recently held in Clifton by the directors of the Arizona Copper company and President Amster, of the Shannon, arrangements were made whereby the Shannon will not build the new railroad. Concessions will be made to the Shannon which will create a saving of $100,000 per year or more to them. The new railroad will be commenced as soon as the papers are drawn and signed by the directors of both companies.—Era.

A Limitless Yearn

In his testimony before the Interstate Commerce commission, E. H. Harriman said: "A little matter of $2,000,000 doesn't amount to much one way or the other." Which caused W. J. Lampton of the New York World to burst into rhyme in this fashion:

"Only $2,000,000!
Merely a whisp of hay
To stop up the crack in a window,
To keep the wind away.
Certainly not worth counting,
A paltry little sum
That isn't enough to distinguish
A well-to-do from a bum.

"Only $2,000,000!
A measly, miserable wod
That wouldn,t pay for the water
In a good Kentucky tod;
Simply a sign of the spirit
To moisten the thirsty tongue;
Merely a fleeting nothing,
More than a smell at the bung.

Only $2,000,000!
Homes for a thousanb or more,
Or clothes for two hundred thousanb,
Or food for a million poor.
Only $2,000,000!
Gee! what a little stack,
When you come to learn
Of the limisless yearn
Of a Harrimaniac!",

WONDERFUL ECZEMA CURE

"Our little boy had eczema for five years," writes N. A. Adams, Henrietta, Pa. "Two of our home doctors said the case was hopeless, his lungs being affected. We then employed other doctors but no benefit resulted. By chance we read about Electric Bitters; bought a bottle and soon noticed improvement. We continued this medicine until several bottles were used, when our boy was completely cured." Best of all blood medicines and body building health tonics. Guaranteed by all Druggists. 50c.

Southern Pacific Buys Greene Road

El Paso, Texas, May 28,—President H R Nickerson, George D. Cook and E. J. Gates of the executive committee of the Southern Pacific railroad, held a meeting here today and decided on increased mileage costing from fifteen to twenty millions.

The company has purchased the Rio Grande & Pacific railroad with branches from Juarez to Cassas Grandes and from Guzman to San Pedro on the Cananea, Yaqui River & Pacific. It will build from Cassas Grandes to Santa Elena and Temosachic; from Santa Elena to Tenachic and Aglabampo on the Gulf of California and to Madera. It has also acquired the El Paso Southern and the bridge across the Rio Grande at El Paso.

Ashes as Fuel

An experiment was made this week by several employees of the A. C. company in which ashes were used as fuel. The mixture consisted of ashes, oxalic acid, water and salt and a test run was made under one of the boilers. Several hundered pounds of the mixture were used and it is reported that the results were good. Instead of the smoke being black it is perfectly white giving intense heat under the boiler. With this process only a small portion of coal is required to keep the fire going and it can be banked the same as coke. There are no ashes left as the entire contents are burned up. With the introduction of such a system ashes will be a scarce article in Clifton. It is a benefit to the boilers and the only thing that will have to be changed will probably be the grates.—Era.

When going to the Indian Hot Springs for pleasure or recreation take your shot gun and dog along. There is no better hunting in the country. 12 4t

Don't Be Nervous

ladies, but get rid of the disease which is the cause of most of woman's nervousness, viz., female trouble. "I was very nervous," writes Mrs. T. L. Jones, of Gallatin, Tenn., "and suffered six years with every disease peculiar to my sex. I had headache, backache, and acute female inflammation. I took three bottles of Cardui and it cured me. I gained 35 pounds in weight. I tell my husband that

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WOMAN'S RELIEF

was worth its weight in gold to me, and I recommend it to all women."

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The Only Ad. He Ever Had

There was a man in our town
Who was so wondrous wise;
He thought a business he could run
And never advertise.
Take heed and learn the moral
Of this sad and mournful tale,
For the only ad he ever had
Was, "Closed for Sheriff Sale."
—The Wilclarco.

ECZEMA AND PILE CURE.

FREE: Knowing what it was to suffer, I will give FREE OF CHARGE to any afflicted a postive cure for Eczema, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Pile and Skin disease. Instant relief. Don't suffer longer, write F. W. WILLIAMS, 400 Manhattan Avenue, New York. Enclose stamp.

Cleaning Chease Creek

The Arizona Cobper comqany has let the contract for cleaning out Chase creek. L. B. Elliott has the contract and now has a train of twenty wagons busily engaged hauling away the dirt The creek bed will be lowered ten to twelve feet from its month to the neigobor hood of the new gas plant above the Bazaar store. This will be a great benefit to the property interests on Chase creek, as well as the company. Upon complection of cleaning out the creek it is proposed to cement the bottom in a concave shape, which will prevent it from filling again. With a few feet added to the wall on the street side Chase creek will be reasonably safe from floods.—Era.

SORE NIPPLES

Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying chamberlain's salve as soon the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by Safford Drug Co.

Probate Notice

In the probate court of Graham county, in the territory of Arizona.

In the matter of the estate of John Hoopes, deceased.

Notice of final settlement of Administratrix and petition for distribution.

Notice is hereby given that Mary I. Hoopes. the administratrix of the estate of John Hoopes, deceased, has rendered and presented for final settlement, and filed in said court her final settlement of her administration, and also filed her petition in said court for distribution among the persons entitled thereto the property of the said estate remaining after full administration of said estate, and that Saturday the 15th day of June, A. D., 1907, being a day of the April term, 1907, of said court, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the court room of the said court in the court house, in Solomonville, in Graham county, in the territory of Arizona, has been duly appointed by the judge of the said court, for the hearing of the said final settlement and of the said petition for distribution as aforesaid, at which time and place any and all persons interested in said estate may appear and file their exceptions in writing thereto and contest the same.

Dated this the 23rd day of May, A. D., 1907.

THEO. SHIRLEY,
Clerk of the probate court of Graham county, Arizona.

First publication May 17.

Notice of Bond Election.

Notice Is Hereby Given.

That a bond election of all of the taxpayers of the Central School District, Number 12, of Graham County, Arizona Territory, will be held at the district school house of said school district Number 12, on Saturday, the eighth day of June, A. D. 1907; and that Lewis Norton, S. P. Jenkins and A. S. Porter are hereby named as judges to conduct such election. The polls for the said election will be opened at one o'clock p. m. and will close at eight o'clock p. m., of said eighth day of June.

The purpose of said election is for the taxpayers of said school district to determine whether or not the bonds of said school district shall be issued for the purpose of raising money, by the sale of the proposed issue of bonds, for the purpose of building a school house in and for said district, and supplying the same with furniture and apparatus.

The bonds, which it is proposed shall be issued by the said school district Number 12, and for the determination as to the issuance of which the said election is to be held, are proposed to be for the amount of Twenty-eight Hundred Dollars ($2800.00) and it is proposed to issue Fourteen (14) of such bonds, numbered from One to Fourteen, both inclusive, and each for the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, and said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of Seven per cent. per annum, and that said bonds shall be redeemable in the order in which they are numbered; and that numbers One to Seven, both inclusive, of said bonds, shall be redeemable at the option of said school district, at any time after five years from the date of the issue of said bonds; and that numbers Eight to Fourteen, both inclusive, of said bonds, shall be redeemable, at the option of said school district, at any time after ten years from the date of the issue of said bonds; and that all of said bonds shall be made due and payable by the said school district Number 12 at the end of twenty years from the date of the issue of said bonds.

Done at Central, Graham County, Arizona, this 16th day of May, 1907.

B. F. WHITMER,
E. M. ALLRED,
H. W. LAYTON,
Board of School Trustees for Central School District Number 12.

GEORGE H. CROSBY, JR., Attorney 12-4t

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For your harness — prices from $7.50 to $48. Best horse collars from $2.00 to $4.75. A new stock of Selz Shoes. Dishes. Large Tumblers for 5c. Groceries. Currants & Raisins, Candies, New Can Goods and Patent Medicines.

You can find everything you need on the farm or in the house, at the lowest price that is possible to sell for.

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Good work, low prices. - - Pima, Arizona.

CLUFF'S RANCH RESORT
Is now open for the summer season. Boating, Bathing, Swinging, Trapeze, Shooting Gallery, Croquet and Other Amusements. All kinds of light refreshments for sale. Visitors without refreshments admitted free. Admission charged those bringing refreshments. Strict order enforced.
CLOSED SUNDAYS AFTER JUNE 2
..COME OUT FOR A GOOD TIME..

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The Nursery has a good variety and the fact that the trees, vines, etc., are raised in this climate makes them sure growers.
We have nothing but the best and prices reasonable.
GIVE US A CALL AND INSPECT STOCK

The Southern Pacific Company has now and will continue to have on sale during the months of May, June, July, August and September. round trip tickets from all New Mexico and Arizona points to San Francisco, Los Angeles and adjacent beach cities and towns, at greatly reduced rates.

Also, beginning May 27th, and continuing daily until Sept. 30th, this company will have on sale greatly reduced round trip tickets to Norfolk, Virginia, account of the

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Again on trains leaving all stations
May 20 and 21,
June 6, 7 and 8
July 3, 4 and 5
August 8, 9 and 10,
September 11, 12 and 13,

ninety day round trip tickets, permitting of diverse routing to principal middle west, northern and Atlantic seaboard cities.

These reduced rates radiate to the four points of the compass and enable every one to enjoy the luxury of a summer vacation.

For full information regarding rates, r utes and Pullman reservations (and if a European trip is contemplated in addition) call on your nearest local agent or address,

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THE MIDWAY
For the finest Rye, Bourboun and Sour Mash Whiskeys in the Territory. Call and try Them—Once Tried Always Used. Fine, Imported and Domestic Cigars.
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STAGE EVERY MORNING FROM SOLOMONVILLE AND CORONADO CONNECTS WITH G. V. G. & N. AND A. & N. M. TRAINS, EASY STAGES, GOOD TEAMS AND CAREFUL DRIVERS.....

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CRYSTAL ICE, BUTTER, BUTTER MILK AND CREAMERY SUPPLIES ALWAYS ON HAND AT PRICES THAT DEFIES COMPETITION. AGENTS FOR DE LAVAL CREAM SEPERATORS
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For Everything in the Market Line
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Some dealers claim to sell a $6.00 shoe for $3.50. They can't do it, and you know it. The Patriot Shoe is just what we say—a $3 50 shoe—no more, no less. It's worth more to you but we prefer for you to say that after wearing one pair. THE PATRIOT IS GUARANTEED RIGHT.
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Now 10c a Share

In order to raise money for development purposes the White Marble Gold and Silver Mining company is now offering for sale a small amount of treasury stock at ten cents per share. The company owns valuable claims in Pinal county, in the richest mineralized section now known in the southwest. Assays from ore taken out of the company's claims near the surface, runs high in gold, silver and lead, which increases in value in depth. Located near a smelter; within a few miles of a railroad; water in abundance near at hand, which increases the value of the company's property. Now is the time to purchase stock. Get in on the ground floor. The business ability of the president and his assistants and the character of the ore found at the grass roots, almost assures the success of the company. It will forge to the front in a short time. The officers of the company are reputable business men whose characters are abve reproach. No high salaried officers to use the money. Every dollar of treasury stock will be used for developing the property. Those who purchase have the assurance that the business of the company will be carried on as economical as possible.

The business of the company will be managed by the Board of Directors.

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Arcadia Chapter No. 9, meets regularly every 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. Visiting members always welcome.

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NELLIE OLNEY, Sec.

Safford Lodge No. 16, F. & A. M. Stated meeting Saturday evenings on or before the full moon, each month. Sojourning brethern cordially invited.

F. T. PATTERSON, W. M.
T. S. BUNCH, Secretary

Local News

Keg beer, cool and delicious, at the Palace saloon. 7-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Simms of the county seat, were visitors in Saf Monday.

A few days at the Indian Hot Springs will do you good if you are either sick, tired or seeking pleasure. 12 4t

We understand that the statement published last week that Ardell Russel had been married was on error.

Try an egg and beer at Tom Hooks' saloon. 11-tf

John Welker and Mrs. Fred Jacobson left Monday for an extended visit with relatives in Beaver Lake, Idaho.

For sale or trade—A scholarship, any study, in the International Correspondence School of Scranton, Pa. Inquire at this office. 9-tf

Miss Kate Hunter, accompanied by Miss Hilda Perkins went to Los Angeles Saturday, where they will spend the summer with friends.

It is now understood that the first offer for barley as soon as it is threshed will be $1.15 per one hundred.

The harvesting of wheat and barley began in dead earnest this week. Within a month it should all be harvested.

Miss Beulah Olney returned Sunday from Staunton, Virginia, where she has been attending the University during the past year.

For stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation try Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets. Many remarkable cures have been effected by them. Price 25 cents. Samples free. For sale by Safford Drug Co. m

S. A Merril has resigned his position with Solomon-Wickersham Co., and has accepted a position with the Ice and Creamery Co.

Miss Grace Todd arrived Sunday from San Diego, Calif., where she spent the winter attending school.

Mrs A. J. Perkins, son and daughter left for Utah Monday where they will visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Packer left for Los Angeles last Monday to remain during the summer months.

Miss Rebecca Schwarz, who has been the guest of Mr and Mrs. C. F. Solomon, went to El Paso last Monday.

W. J. Parks, of Solomonville, returned home from Los Angeles last thursday. Mr. Parks suffered a paralytic stroke while in that city and was very ill but is great

The Gila Valley Furniture company will dispose of all of last year's stock of wall paper at 20 per cent discount, and all remnants at 10 cents a bolt. This is a bargain as this stock contains some of the nicest patterns on the market; but room must be made for the new year's shipment. 1-tf

AT THE COUNTY SEAT

A Few of the Things That are Taking Place in and Around the County Court House

At present there are 32 inmates of the county jail, four of whom are held to the next Territorial grand jury, and two for the United States court. The balance are cases sent up by the justice's courts from different parts of the county, with sentences ranging from one month to six months.

Climax Jim the versatile artist of band cuffs, shackles and thumb screws, and who oftens spend an idle hour in tearing down the steel cages, during humorus intevals, expects to be released from his present quarters this week and again taste the invigorating zephyr of freedom this week. He is arranging with a surity company to make his bond and will doubtless be released before the week ends.

Jim Parks has returned from Duncan, where he is erecting a fine residence.

Uncle John Parks has returned from Los Angeles and appears to be much better since returning home. Before leaving California his life was almost despaired of but now it is belived he will recove and become strong again.

W. E. Clayton spent parts of Saturday and Sunday at the Chlarson saw mill. Mrs. Clayton went to Globe last week and spent several days visiting friends.

Mrs. Juluis Wetzler of Holbrook arrived Sunday and will spend ten days or two weeks here with her parents.

Mrs. Dave Goldberg arrived last week from Phoenix and will remain another week visiting her parents and friends

Mrs. Mit Simms left for Douglas last Tuesday on a ten day's visit to her sister.

Elena Arando got 30 days in the county jail this week in Justice Austen's court for being drunk and using obscene language.

Keg beer, icy and foamy, at the Palace saloon. 7 tf

Dendy-Smithson

Mr. Jessie Dendy and Miss Rachael Smithson was married last Saturday, Probate Judge Shirley officiating. Both parties are well known to a large circle of friends, who extend best wishes

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Pretty Incident

At the conclusion of the exercises at the Normal training school this forenoon there was enacted in one of class rooms a scene which, while it had no place on the publshed program, was probably a matter of far deeper heart interest to all of the participants. For several weeks the pupils of the seventh grade had been secretly planning a surprise for Miss Emma Fausett, their critic teacher. A beautiful cut glass sugar and creamer set was purchased, and at the conclusion of the closing exercises, all of the seventh graderes quietly retired to their class room, and then one of their number was delegated to request Miss Fausett to come there and receive their goodbyes. When she entered the room she was met by Master Floyd Gilmore Fisk, who had been chosen by his class mates to make the presentation, who thus addressed her:

Miss Fausett This grade wishes me to express to you its gratitude and thanks for so patiently endeavoring to lead us along the paths of knowledge. We are persuaded that your efforts in this birection are crowned with a goodly measure of success. In token of our gratitude and esteem for you, I have the honor of presenting to you these remembrances, trusting they may symbolize your future experience, for according to rumor you are about to enter that stste in life so attractive to all men and women. We sincerly hope your future life may be as clear as the crystal of which these tokens are composed, and while partaking of the contents of the same you may long remember your illustrious seventh grade.—Tempe Mews.

Miss Fausett was formerly one of Safford best teachers.

A NARROW ESCAPE

G. W. Cloyd, a merchant, of Plunk, Mo, had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a jimson bur into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate. I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at all Druggists.

First Publication June 7, 1907.

Notice to Creditors

In the Probate Court, Graham County, Arizona. In the matter of the estate of R. H. Beers, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of R. H. Beers, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at his place of business at Thatcher, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona.

S. S. GREEN, Administrator.

Dated at Thatcher, Arizona, this 3rd day of June 1907. 4t

First publication June 7, 1907.

Notice to Creditors

In the Probate Court, Graham County, Arizona. In the matter of the estate of George Wright Todd, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of George Wright Todd, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at her place of business at Safford, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona.

NELLIE TODD, Administratrix.

Dated at Safford, Arizona, this 1st day of June, 1907. 4t

This space Belongs to the St. Joseph Stake and L D S Academy

Documents Filed for Record

Following is a list of documents filed for record at the county seat and compiled by Abstracter Fred Dysart:

Mrs. Alice Pomeroy to Faustina Ballestros, deed, $25, lot 20 blk 4 Pomeroy's add Solomonville.

W M Adams files proof of labor on 4 claims in Stanley Butte dist.

Edmund Lafave locates 1 mine 4 miles ne of Metcalf.

S M Messinger and wife to Jos R. Rogers, deed, $300, 20 a n 1-2 sec 24 6s 24 e.

Mm L and Frank Keppler locate 1 claim in Greenlee dist.

J P Barnett to A A Bronssard, bill of sale, $10, 1 house on A C Cos lot in E Clifton.

Lorenzo Hunsaker and wife to I P McBride and wife, deed, $700, 3 a in ne nw 11 7s 25 e.

Mt Graham Lumber Co appropriate 2000 inches of waters of Graham mts for transportation, irrigation & etc.

Mrs Lenora E Pruett to Melvin G Montierth, deed, $800, 18 1-2 a in nw sw 18 7s 26 e.

W H Clifford and wife to G C Lind, deed, $250, 11 a in se 18 7s 26 e.

J H Gamboa claims s 1-2 ne and w 1 2 se 25 5 c 29 e as preumption claim.

Samuel Foster claims 160 acres on Bonita creek.

G G Spaw is appointed deputy sheriff.

Wm Mong et al locate 7 claims in Stanley Butte dist.

Emory W Olds, John Holbrook, E F Allen and Jacob Stahl incorporate the Michigan - Arizona Copper Co, capital $2,000,000.

J H and T S Edwards locate 2 placers in Clifton dist.

Geo M Nicks and wife to Riley P Johnson, deed, $500, lots v 25 and pt lot 24 blk 5 Duncan.

Virgil E Burtcher and wife to Riley P Johson, deed, $100, lot 23 and pt lots 24, 26, 27 blk 5 Duncan.

W B Fonda, gdn to W D Robertson, deed, $1100, lot 1 pt lot 2 dlk 1 Smith's add Safford, lots 7, 9, 11 and 13 blk 17, Safford twns and nw ne and w 3-4 sw ne 32 8 s 26 e.

Mat Danenhauer to Nannie Leonard, bill of sale, $10, 1-2 int houses nos 73 1-4, 98 1 4 and 1 4 of no 105 on A C Co land Clifton.

Mat Danenhauer to Nannie Leonard, bill of sale, $10, 1-4 of houses on lots 105 230 a rear, (5 houses) on A C Co land in Clifton.

Geo W Williams, Jr, appropriates the waters of a gulch in sw sw 32 4 s 30 e.

W T Webb, Phil C Merrill, Fred Webb incorporate Webb-Merrill Commercial Co, Pima, Ariz, cap s $25,000.

John Welker, to Jacob E Zundel deed, $1300 16 2 3 a in ne 20 7s 26 e.

L A Godfrey, Joe Everman and J L Wilkins locate 2 claims in Lone Star dist.

Virgil E Burtcher and wife to H A Dinsmore, deed, $100, lot in e 2 se 19 8 s 32 e at Duncan.

Angel Vianes claims land on Gila River 12 miles ne of Solomonville, 160 acres.

J Frank Wootan and wife to E Salazar, deed, $200, house 6 a alfalfa, etc on ne nw 28 6 s 19 e.

Consolidated Copper Co of Ariz, files amended locations of 2 claims in Stanley Butte dist.

J Backstein and wife to Geo W Williams, sr, deed, $10, lot 25 blk 4 Hills add, Clifton.

For Sale

Two blocks, Nos. 22 and 23, known as the old Tuttle property east of the property occupied by Mr. Ellis. Price $700. Apply to THOS. M. HUGHES, Clifton, Arizona. Care of the Shannon Copper Co. 1-3m.

IF YOU DON'T

succeed the first time use Herbine and you will get instant relief. The greatest liver regulator. A positive cure for constipation, Dyspepsia, Malaria, Chills and all liver complaints. Mr. C—. of Emory Texas. writes: "My wife has been using Herbine for herself and children for five years. It is a sure cure for constipation and malarta fever, which is substantiated by what it has done for my family." Sold by Safford Drug Co., Safford; Thatcher Drug Store, Thatcher; Frank Cluff, Pima.

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By all means take a look at the Horton Galvanized Rotary Washer the next time you are anywhere near a hardware or general store. It will give you new light on the wash-day problem.

Here's a washer that washes clothes clean in minutes where it would take hours in the old way, and it is geared up so that you can turn the handle slowly and easily while the suds are being forced through the clothes at top speed. After seeing the HORTON you will realize how much you didn't know about washing the dirt out of clothes without wearing yourself out. Ask the dealer to show you the

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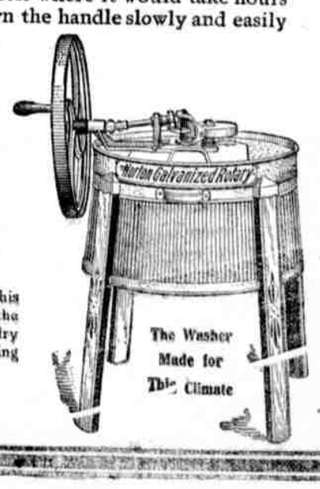
Galvanized Steel Rotary Washer



and don't decide the washing-machine question until you have seen this high-speed washer. In addition to all its other advantages, it is the washer with the galvanized tub; light and easy to handle; tub can't dry out, leak or "fall down" the way old-fashioned wash tubs and washing machines did. Easily kept clean, too, and—but just Ask the dealer to show you.

HORTON MFG. CO., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Dr. Ernest Van Someren,

the celebrated Italian authority, says food should be chewed until it is practically in ***liquid form*** before it is swallowed. Dr. Liebig, the great German chemist, says that beer is "liquid bread"—a genuine food in liquid form.

The Pabst Eight-Day Malting Process does the extraordinary work of changing the nutriment in the barley-grain into palatable and easily digestible ***liquid food.***

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made from Pabst Perfect ***Eight-Day Malt,*** is a pure, wholesome food, rich in nutritious, strengthening properties that build muscle and make good blood.

The flavor is delicious—you have never tasted a richer, more mellow beer. It strengthens you and at the same time lessens the work of digestion.

When ordering beer, ask for Pabst Blue Ribbon.

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Prina & Olney,
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And at his Nod Prices Go Tumbling.

For the next ten days Lines Bros. will sell men's ready made suits at the following greatly reduced prices:

Men's $12.50 suits for $9 75	Men's $7 suits for $5.50
Men's $10 suits for $7	Men's $6.50 suits for $5
Men's $9 suits for $6.75	Boys' $6 suits for $4.50
Boys' $5 suits for $4	20 per cent off on men's pants

Other bargains for men and women too numerous to mention. TERMS CASH. Positively no goods charged at above prices.

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Safford, Arizona

Gila Valley, Globe & Northern

SEASIDE EXCURSIONS

On Sale Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

To Los Angeles, Long Beach, Santa Monica, San Pedro, Catalina Island, Newport Beach, San Diego and Coronado, San Buena Ventura, Santa Barbara, San Francisco, with stop-overs at any point within final limit, which is November 30th, 1907, at any point north or west of Colton, Cal. Rates from Safford are as follows:

To Los Angeles, Long Beach, San Pedro, Santa Monica	$37.85
To Santa Barbara, San Buena Ventura, San Diego, Coronado	42.10
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To San Francisco	52.70

For further information call on C. P. Pearson, Agent, Safford, or write M. O. Bicknell, General Passenger Agent, Tucson, Arizona.

Breeders' Notice . . .

Stallion Aumonier 41215

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The Percheron Stallion Aumonier will hereafter be at the John Madison place, second house east of mill on railroad track, Safford.

The Guardian.

Entered in the postoffice, Safford, Arizona, as second-class mail matter.

JUNE 7, 1907.

Of course, we understand Col. McInery in going to run Mt. Graham through his smelter, but what is he going to do with the dirt when it comes out.

A Kansas City judge holds that it is a violation of law for women to quarrel over a back yard fence. What does the law require—that they climb over the fence?

The Clifton Advocate editor says we gave him "a volley of abuse." All we did was to ask him to tell the truth. Perhaps he considered that was the worst abuse we could give him.

But then if Col. McInery's tunnel is fourteen miles long, he'll have to build a tramway two miles long to hold it when it comes out of the mountain.

Mr. Harriman keeps on doing business just as if nothing had happened or was likely to happen. The other day he acquired the control of the St. Louis, Brownsville & Texas railway.

And again, when Col. McInery gets through with that fifty million horse power out of Chiarson's creek, he's likely to flood the valley, if he dont watch out.

As we predicted a few weeks ago, at the time the professional knockers were advising the farmers to sell their hay as it would decline in price, the very opposite has occurred. Hay has gone from $7.50 to $9.00, with every indication of further advances. A word to the farmer will not be amiss at this time: You are getting good prices for your hay; there is a big demand for it, because the hay raised in this valley cannot be excelled. Of course some hay gets spoiled. Do not try to mix this sort of hay in with firstclass, for when you do you are not only dishonest, but you give your dealer and the entire valley a bad name, as well as to injure yourself.

THATCHER

Twenty-seven residents of Thatcher left for Salt Lake last Monday.

Mrs. Cynthia Layton, Mrs. Lee and Miss Zina Lee left for Los Angeles for an extended visit Monday.

Among the visitors to Salt Lake are Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Crosby, Jr., and Mrs. Coleman.

President Andrew Kimball and Mrs. Josephine Cluff left for Salt Lake Tuesday where they will be married in the temple. Their many friends join with the GUARDIAN in wishing them a world of happiness and prosperity in their wedded life. Both are well known, genial and popular, and are active in every movement that pertains to the public welfare and progress.

PIMA

Porter Stimson has returned from a mission to the southern states.

Mrs. Saline left for Salt Lake Monpay.

Miss Clarrissa Norton went to Salt Lake Monday where she will be married to David Felshaw, who is returning from a mission.

Just Think AND Hold on

Until you have visited our store and convinced yourself that we sell as cheap as any eastern house and save YOU the express charges.

SHOES, SHOES, SHOES

In prices and style which cannot be duplicated by any of our competitors

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1000 MEN WANTED

Or More to Buy My Entire Stock.

I carry a full line of Hampden, Elgin and Waltham watches.

7 jeweled Elgin or Waltham watch for $7.
15 jeweled movement, $10.50.
17 jeweled movement, $13.
21 jeweled movement, $27.

I also carry a fine line of ladies' Hampden watches, latest improved. I call your special attention to the neatness and durability of these watches. I also carry ladies' Elgin and Waltham ladies' watches.

A fine line of ladies' and gents' set rings. I call especial attention to the fact that these rings are hand made and especially well set. Solid gold rings sold by weight.

Large stock of silverware, teaspoons, table spoons, knives, and forks, guaranteed for good wear. Souvenir spoons of every description.

I call special attention to the fine stock of leather goods—hand satchels, Indian curios, etc.

Beautiful bracelets of all descriptions suitable for presents

A fine selection of eye glasses. Spectacles fitted and all kinds of optical work done. If necessary, I can charge as much as the traveling opticians and if the amount of money makes the work any better, I can charge more. But my prices are very low.

Big shipment of clocks, great variety, just received.

Even if we are in the west, I keep an up to date eastern stock of goods.

Mail orders promptly filled.

L. KAMSTRA, THE JEWELER

Local News

Will and Arthur Welker have leased Z. C. Prina's farm.

S. H. Britton went to Douglas last week to accept a position with the Copper Queen Co.

Rev. Dorris, a minister of the Christian church, is holding meetings in the Baptist church building.

J. N. Porter passed through Safford from his eastern trip last Tuesday. The ordeal of hob nobbing with the president seems to have improved our old friend.

Mrs. C. R. Freeman and Mrs Tump Freeman left for Huachuca Thursday by way of Tombetone, where they will visit with Mrs. Wallace Stark.

Mrs. Rice, of Nelson, Nebraska, passed through Safford last Friday on her way to San Carlos, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Harley Martin.

Just Received

A large car of Racine-Sattley wagons and bugggies that must be seen to be appreciaten.

The best selected line in the Valley of Pongee Silk, Taffeta Silk and Silk Tissues. HAMILTON-BROWN Shoes of every description and price. Stetson, Lion Special and Big Bear hats, Wyandot shirts. We are the best equipped to supply your wants, and handle your produce of any house in the Gila Valley.

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Ft. Thomas, Arizona

The Perfect Light A Safe Light
BECK-IDEN ACETYLENE LAMP

This lamp generates and burns its own gas and is started and stopped at the pleasure of the user.

As an illuminant Acetylene is acknowledged far superior to electricity, oil or any other gas. The gas is burned out of an open burner and lights instantly, giving an odorless and smokeless flame and without heat, thus making it an ideal lamp for summer. It is absolutely safe, no danger from explosion. The cost of the light is very low and will demonstrate itself to the user. Every lamp that we have sold has given perfect satisfaction and received high recommendations.

You can see the lamp in operation at Dial's Bakery, or come to our store and we will demonstrate it for you.

SOLD AT THESE PRICES:

Lamp Complete with Opal Dome Shade - $10.00
Lamp Complete with Green Dome Shade - - 12.00
Lamp Complete with Royal Copper Shade - 13.00

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Are you going to hold your hay? If so, you will need iron to cover it with. We have it. Build a shed and ship first class hay.

We carry the celebrated Page Woven Wire Fence. Put a fence around your farm.

Harvest is here. We have binders to cut your grain with—DEERING, best on earth. Binding twine to bind it with. Sacks to put it in, too.

We want to make money and we like to see our neighbor make good, ... of the string of prosperity and ride to the good place together.

No catch penny business with us; staple goods, staple prices, the same treatment to all.

We only know one way to do business, every day the same. Satisfaction our motto.

Come with the Crowd to the Old Reliable Big Six

Thatcher I. & M. Company

Another Chance in Hay Buying

WE *believe the time has come that hay ought to be put on a spot cash basis both with the farmer and the man who gets it. So from this date We will pay spot cash, as soon as loaded, for all hay. If you want cash for your hay see us as we will be prepared to buy all the time and have the cash to pay as soon as loaded on the cars.*

Cyclone Store

J. M. Foster, Prop.

BINDING TWINE

Pure Manilla and Standard

ALSO, have received a carload of OSBORNE FARM IMPLEMENTS, BINDERS, MOWERS, RAKES, HARROWS and DISC PLOWS. BEST EVER.

These Disc Plows are warranted for heavy adobe soil or alfalfa plowing, etc.

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Safford, Arizona.

CORRUGATED IRON ROOFING

Roof Paints, House Paints, etc., a full supply.

A Full Line of Men's Ready Made Suits at Prices to Suit all. Come and see 'em.

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WEBSTER & HOOPES

THATCHER, ARIZONA.

Attorney William Dial was in Clifton this week on business.

Billy Heywood has bought the remnant of Mike Leahy's cattle at a low figure.

A. E. White, the Talklai contractor, was in town yesterday to hire carpenters.

The Sahuara Club was entertained in a charming manner by Mrs. Dunlap Wednesday.

H. B. St. Claire, the genial representative of the McNiel Co. of Phoenix, was in Safford this week.

County Supt. Lynch has moved his office to the old bank building on K street. Mr. Lynch is in Clifton on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew O'Bryan and children will leave for California next week on an extended visit.

Mrs. Eva Wetzler of Los Angeles is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Solomon of Solomonville.

I. N. Robertson has purchased the Westerman restaurant and is running an eating house on the corner of the bowling alley stand. 11-tf

Prof. Yeomans, the new principal of the Safford schools, was in this city and visited with the trustees Saturday, when it was decided to establish a ninth grade. Prof. Yeomans was on his way to the Northwest for a vacation.

Threshing has already begun in the Gila valley.

Miss Norah Scrogham, of Globe was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Jacobson last week.

A fine son was born to Mr. and Mrs. V. Crawford of Layton Wednesday.

Children in the families of Mr. Heiner, Mr. Crawford and Mr. Corliss are afflicted with measles.

Mrs. M. Simon entertained the Whist Club very pleasantly yesterday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid Society held their meeting at the residence of Mrs. Thompson Tuesday.

Miss Lina Valentine of Willcox returned home Wednesday, after a brief visit with friends in this valley.

The excursion rates to Canada and various other points have been canceled by the Gila Valley Railroad.

Mr. Joseph Cluff was in town from Central yesterday and reports that crops are exceedingly good in that region.

W. W. Wild came down from the saw mill on Mt. Graham Thursday on receipt of the news that his children were quite ill with the measles at Thatcher.

W. T. Johnson has secured a large number of signatures to a petition asking that he be appointed constable of Safford in place of David Ridgeway, resigned.

John F. Brown, a well known citizen of Safford, will leave with his family next Monday for Magdalena, New Mexico, where he will open a grocery store. We wish him every success in his new field of effort.

Assistant Engneer Howard Sneddin with a corps of surveyors, is now located in Safford. They are engaged upon the work of straightening the road bed in this vicinity.